

TALKS ABOUT TEXAS

Many Things of Interest to the World Relative to the Empire State.

The Commercial Secretaries have compiled the following data about Texas that will be instructive to those who are interested in our great State.

Texas needs 10,000 more miles of railroad.

Has 166,865,600 acres of land. Produces 3,000,000 bales of cotton annually.

Every mile of railroad adds \$65,000 to the value of adjoining property.

Has 30,000,000 acres of land under cultivation and 137,865,600 acres uncultivated.

There are 12,500 miles of railroad in Texas.

A bale of cotton makes 3,000 yards of calico.

The Texas farmer sells \$496,250,000 of products annually.

Texas has 45,302,544 acres of timber land.

The mineral produces annually \$17,700,000.

Texas has 67,508,500,000 feet of standing timber.

The factories produce \$161,000,000 annually.

Texas has 5,300,000 acres in cotton.

Texas has 61,000 square miles of undeveloped coal fields.

Produces 156,600,000 bushels corn annually.

Has vast beds of iron ore undeveloped.

Produces 12,000,000 bushels of wheat annually.

Has the finest granite in the world.

Produces 10,000,000 bushels of rice annually.

Ninety-five per cent of the farm and mine pass through the factory.

Produces 2,500,000 bushels of potatoes annually.

Has a weekly pay roll of \$5,000,000.

Raises 7,000,000 head of cattle each year.

Property is valued at five billion dollars.

Raises 1,500,000 head of horses and mules annually.

Its mineral wealth is estimated at \$30,000,000,000.

Raises 1,000,000 head of sheep annually.

Its mines work 8,250 men.

Raises 2,000,000 hogs annually.

Its mines could have employment to 5,000,000 men sixty years.

Raises 25,000 dogs annually.

Has 74 per cent of population engaged in agriculture.

Has 53 per cent of wealth in agriculture.

Its cotton mills produce \$24,000,000.

Farm lands are valued at \$4.31 per acre for taxation in 1907.

Its packing houses produce \$21,000,000 annually.

Texas imports each year \$753,000,000 in manufactured goods.

The lumber mills produce \$22,000,000 annually.

Texas has 20 per cent of wealth incorporated.

Oil wells produce \$10,000,000 annually.

Factories produce one-tenth of the manufactured goods used in the State.

Coal mines produce \$3,000,000 annually.

Texas has more Commercial Clubs than any other state in the Union.

Brick kilns produce \$2,000,000 annually.

Texas has 245 counties.

Has 239 counties organized

and 6 unorganized.

Silver mines produce \$500,000 annually.

Its mineral wealth produces \$200,000, annually.

Has 69,509 miles public highways.

Gravel roads can be built for \$1,000 per mile.

Fire losses, insured, \$4,336,175; uninsured, estimated, \$1,500,000.

Will hold 23 county fairs this fall.

Has good farm lands over one hundred miles from railroad.

Has a population of 15 per square mile.

Say, if you don't think this country is coming to the front, you ought to stand around a few days and see the large number of implements that the hardware merchants of this city are sending out every day. Lots of plows for breaking land are being bought, which indicates that the farmers are going after some sod land this fall.

Try The Palo Duro Land Co.

THE BAND CONCERT.

Canyon City Musical Organization Gives Entertainment at Opera House.

Those of our people who attended the entertainment given at the opera house last Friday night by the Canyon City Cornet Band certainly enjoyed it. The entire program was well rendered and the numbers given by the band show that they have been well drilled under the direction of the instructor, N. C. Bishop.

A glance at the program is sufficient to show that the class of music rendered was high, if a person knows anything of music, and a person did not have to be a musician to know that it was in entire harmony. There are numbers in the program that are used by the best musical organizations of the country.

The piano solo by Miss Thompson was well rendered and called for much applause. Mr. Hutchings, in his trombone solo,

showed that he has become a master of that instrument. He also rendered as an encore a trombone solo, "In Old Madrid."

The people of this city will regret to hear that it is not the intention of the band to give any more concerts this fall or winter, but they will be all the more ready to hear them in the spring after they have had a hard winter's drilling.

We publish below the program as rendered at their entertainment:

"Encore" Overture.....

.....W. H. Keifer

"Yankee Grit".....Abe Holzmann

"The Sweetest Story Ever Told".....R. M. Stults

Trombone Solo by Mr. Geo. Hutchings.

"Dreadnaught March".....

.....C. W. Dalby

"The Last Smile".....Wallenhaupt

Piano Solo by Miss Thompson.

INTERMISSION.

"Arabola".....March and Two Step

.....Karl Hendrix

"The Pivot".....March..Barrington

"Impromptu" Overture.....

.....C. W. Dalby

March—Majestic.....F. A. Myers

Overture, "Sincerity".....

.....Geo. D. Barnard

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Eight hundred dollars buys a brand new 1908 Model No. 10 Buick Automobile. This is a four-cylinder car and sells for \$950. Write to Postoffice Box 22, Amarillo, Texas. 25-2t

L. G. Runion left last Friday for Portales, where he has a claim of 160 acres of land. He ordered The News sent to him so that he could keep posted on Randall county happenings.

See the Canyon Coal Company for fresh maize chops.

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